

EISEMAN BROS

MEN'S AND BOYS' OUTFITTERS.
SEVENTH AND E STREETS.

Right Kind of Clothing—== Right Way of Selling Clothing.



What's the right kind and what's the right way? Let us tell you as we understand it—from the standpoint of forty years' experience—a house that, beginning in the smallest possible way, has by the force of honest and sound business principles built up the largest clothing trade in the city.

RIGHT KIND OF CLOTHING must be made of all-wool materials, must be well lined and trimmed, must be cut by up-to-date and by skillful cutters, and put together by experienced tailors, and must fit your form perfectly—such is the character of clothing made in our own factory, that come direct to you—as makers we know whereof we speak, just what enters our garments.

RIGHT WAY OF SELLING, according to our policy, consists of having a full line of all the fashionable and staple materials, patterns, mixtures and colors—all the new styles approved by fashion—to "talls" and "fats" to "slims"—never to permit a garment to leave our store unless it fits, and if any alterations are necessary to make them free of charge; further, to refund the money to any customer who may become dissatisfied. Most important point of all, give our customers the benefit of the middleman's profit. This, in our judgment, is the right way of selling clothing. **THE EISEMAN BROS. WAY.**

Do you wonder that we score a large increase in trade each season—that we do the biggest business? Suits, \$7.50 to \$30. Overcoats, \$10 to \$40.

Children's Clothing.

Never was a better gathering of Children's Clothing than is here today. Mothers who know what "good clothing" is need only to glance in our windows to see what wonderful values we offer. A superb showing of plain and fancy suits at \$3.50 and \$5. Overcoats and Reefers, too.

Golf Gloves, 50¢

We've just received a very large shipment of Wool Gloves. These Golf Gloves come in all colors, including the popular shade of mode. Warm and dressy.

Best \$2 Hats.

Yes, it is really a \$3 Hat; in fact, that's the price at most stores. Any shade, any style, soft or stiff. All colors, all sizes. \$2 is the price.

Natural Wool Underwear, 75c.

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You must pay for, and wear out, black soled shoes, before you can know what kind of leather is under the finish.

Shoe dissection in Regal windows proves that 90% of all shoes, under \$6.00, have brittle, cheap and short-lived "Hemlock," or "Yankee Oak," leather in the soles.

Every Regal Shoe has a sole of genuine old fashioned, slow-tanned, Oak leather—tough as wire, light as fiber and flexible as the foot.

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143 styles, 8 widths, 18 half sizes.

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Sold only from 45 Regal stores from Atlantic to Pacific and London.

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AS TO THE NEGRO

President Roosevelt Defines His Position.

CASE OF DR. CRUM

QUESTION OF COLOR NOT TO ENTER INTO IT.

Appointments Will Be Made Upon Fitness of Applicant in Any Section—Booker Washington's Statement.

The following communication of President Roosevelt to a citizen of Charleston, S. C., defining his attitude as to the negro has been made public at the White House:

WHITE HOUSE,
Washington, November 26, 1902.

My Dear Sir: I am in receipt of your letter of November 10 and of one from Mr. —, under date of November 11, in reference to the appointment of Dr. Crum as collector of the port of Charleston.

In your letter you make certain specific charges against Dr. Crum, tending to show his unfitness in several respects for the office sought. These charges are entitled to the utmost consideration from me, and I shall go over them carefully before taking any action. After making a study of the charges you add, as a further reason for opposition to him, that he is a colored man, and after reciting the misdeeds that followed carpet-bag rule and negro domination in South Carolina you say that "we have sworn never again to submit to the rule of the African, and such an appointment as that of Dr. Crum to any such office forces us to protest unanimously against this insult to the white blood," and you add that you understood me to say that I would never force a negro on such a community as yours.

Mr. — puts the objection of color first, saying: "First, he is a colored man, and that of itself ought to bar him from the office." In view of these last statements I think I ought to make clear to you why I am concerned and pained by your making them and what my attitude is as regards all such appointments. How any one could have gained the idea that I had said I would not appoint reputable and upright colored men to office, when objection was made to them solely on account of their color, I confess I wholly fail to understand. At the time of my visit to Charleston last spring I had made, and since that time I have made, a number of such appointments from several States, in which there is a considerable colored population. For example, I made one such appointment in Mississippi, and another in Alabama, shortly before my visit to Charleston. I had at that time appointed two colored men as judicial magistrates in the district of Columbia. I have recently announced another such appointment for New Orleans, and have just made one from Pennsylvania. The great majority of my appointments are to men of color, and I have white men, North and South alike, has been my sedulous endeavor to appoint only men of high character and good capacity, whether white or black. But it has been my consistent policy in every State where their numbers warranted it to recognize colored men of good repute and standing in making appointments to office. The appointments of colored men have in no State made more than a small proportion of the total number of appointments. I am unable to see how I can legitimately be asked to make an exception for South Carolina. In South Carolina to the four most important positions in the State I have appointed three men and continued in office a fourth, all of them white men—three of them originally gold democrats; two of them, as I am informed, the sons of Confederate soldiers. I have been informed by the citizens of Charleston whom I have met that these four men represent a high grade of public service.

I do not intend to appoint any unfit men to office. So far as I legitimately can I shall always endeavor to pay regard to the wishes and feelings of the people of each locality; but I cannot consent to take the position that the door of hope—the door of opportunity—is to be shut upon any man, no matter how worthy, purely upon the grounds of race or color. Such an attitude would, according to my convictions, be fundamentally wrong. If, as you hold, the great bulk of the colored people are not yet fit in point of character and influence to hold such positions, it seems to me that it is worth while putting a premium upon the effort among them to achieve the character and standing which will fit them.

The question of "negro domination" does not enter into the matter at all. It might as well be asserted that when I was governor of New York I sought to bring about negro domination in that State because I appointed two colored men of good character and standing to responsible positions—one of them to a position paying a salary twice as large as that paid in the office now under consideration—one of them a director of the Buffalo exposition. The question raised by you and Mr. — in the statements to which I refer, is simply whether it is to be declared that under no circumstances shall any man of color, no matter how upright and honest, no matter how good a citizen, no matter how fair in his dealings with all his fellows, be permitted to hold any office under our government. I certainly cannot assume such an attitude, and you must permit me to say that in my view it is an attitude no man should assume, whether he looks at it from the standpoint of the true interest of the white man of the South or of the colored man of the South—not to speak of the other members of the Union. It seems to me that it is a good thing from every standpoint to let the colored man know that if he shows in marked degree the qualities of good citizenship—the qualities which in a white man we feel are entitled to reward—then he will not be cut off from all hope of similar reward.

Without any regard as to what my decision may be on the merits of this particular applicant for this particular place, I feel that I ought to let you know clearly my attitude on the far broader question raised by you and Mr. — and the attitude from which I have not varied during my term of office.

Faithfully yours,
THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Hon. —, Charleston, South Carolina.

Booker Washington's Position.

The relation of the colored race to politics in the South is attracting more than passing attention at this time. One of the men most prominent in work for the colored race, however, is urging his people to eschew politics and turn their energies to industrial and educational advancement. This man is Mr. Booker T. Washington. In a recent statement he had this to say:

"I notice that several newspapers have recently connected my name with political matters in such a manner as to show that my position is not understood. My life work is the promotion of the education of my race. It is well known that I have always advised my people that it is of supreme importance at this period of their development that they should concentrate their thought and energy on the securing of homes, skill, intelligence, high moral character and the gaining of the respect and confidence of their neighbors, white and black, both in the present and the future. From such teaching and counsel no influence can ever be averted me.

"Whatever conference I have had with the President or with any public official has grown out of my position, not as a politician, but as an educator. It should be borne in mind that there are about nine millions of negroes in the United States, who are liable under the law for taxes and military service, and who are punishable for infraction of the law. These people at present have no member of their race in the national law-making body, and it is right that those charged with making and executing the laws of the land should at times seek information directly from members of the negro race when their interests and their relations with the whites among whom they live are concerned.

"Under no circumstances could I seek to promote political candidates or volunteer information regarding men or measures, nor have I done so in the past; but because of the importance I have always sought to place upon education and industry among my people as the basis of friendly relations between the races, there may be occasion in the future as there has been in the past, when, if I am so requested,

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The New Slot Seam Kersey Jackets for Women

Women's Slot Seam Kersey Jackets, in tan, castor and black satin lined throughout. Instead of \$13.50 for a quick selling Saturday..... **\$10.00**

Women's Kersey Jackets.
Women's Man-tailored Kersey Jackets, in tan, castor and black. Instead of \$15.00 for a quick selling Saturday..... **\$11.50**

A Special Saturday Offering of BOYS' WINTER SUITS.

This Saturday's news from the Boys' Clothing Department is of more than usual importance. It will interest every mother who wants to dress her boy well at moderate cost. Here are some of the details:

Oxford Gray Norfolk Suit
A durable garment—made well and warranted to give perfect satisfaction. A carefully tailored. A \$3.75 value. Only..... **\$2.89**

Boys' Reefers.
\$5 Navy Blue and Oxford Gray Reefers, with 4000 collars—a practical coat for the boys, whether for play or for dress. Sizes 7 to 16. A \$2.75 value. Only..... **\$1.98**

Juvenile Hats.
Camel's Hair Juvenile Hats, in different colors. A 75c. value at each..... **39c.**
A Navy Blue Golf Cap given with our compliments with a purchase of any suit.

Double-Breasted Suits.
In navy blue cheviot and fancy cassimeres—the latest cut—carefully tailored. A \$2.25 to \$4.00 value. Only..... **\$2.49**

Boys' Raglans.
50 Navy Blue and Oxford Gray Raglans, with velvet collars; patent cuffs. A serviceable coat, made in a stylish manner. A \$3.75 value. Only..... **\$2.89**

Knee Pants.
Navy Blue and Oxford Gray Cheviot Knee Pants at..... **22c.**

Men's Furnishings.

Men's Colored Shirts.
Our assortment is complete; half-line stripes; neat effects; many styles to select from. To make a busy Saturday, offered at..... **\$1.00**

Men's Underwear.
Medicated Scarlet Underwear, shirts and drawers; best quality, 100% cotton, per garment..... **98c.**

Fleece-Lined Shirts.
Drawers, extra heavy; well made; all sizes—per garment..... **38c.**

Flannel Night Shirts.
Domest Flannel Night Shirts, extra heavy; 34 inches long; all sizes—each..... **50c.**

Neckwear.
Fancy Silk Four-in-Hands, Ties and Clubs; in a large variety of patterns—each..... **25c.**

We Are Prepared to Supply Everything Needed in BABIES' WEARABLES.

Babies' Mitts.
All-wool White Mitts; sizes 6 months to 3 years. A 25c. value at..... **19c.**

Babies' Caps.
Made of fine silk—full lace ruche around face; sizes 12 to 16. A 75c. value at..... **45c.**

Our First Showing of Holiday Stationery.
Hurlbut's Mouseline Writing Paper—the new thread-finish; colors—gray, Swiss blue and white; 24 sheets, 24 envelopes, in a neat box..... **25c.**

Whiting's Linoges. This box is a reproduction of the Linoges "China" and makes a handsome gift. Filled with Whiting's best writing paper. Colors, Swiss blue, lavender and white. 24 sheets of paper and 24 envelopes..... **25c.**

Misses' Norfolk Coats at \$8.90.

Misses' Long Norfolk Coats, in tan covert cloth, cuffs, belt and collar with brown velvet piping. Sizes 6 to 14.

Misses' Skirts
of golf suiting, seven rows of stitching at bottom, in tan, gray and blue, different lengths. A splendid bargain at..... **\$2.98**

Incomparable Values in GLOVES.

Women's One-clasp Pique Gloves, in tan, beaver, brown, red and white. Special at..... **\$1.00**

Women's French Suede Gloves, in beaver, mode gray, white and black. Instead of 98c. \$1.25, special at..... **98c.**

Women's French Kid Gloves, in tan, beaver, brown and gray. Instead of \$1.50, a special at..... **\$1.19**

Men's Mocha Gloves,
Silk lined, in tan, brown and gray; Adler's make. Special at..... **\$1.50**

Men's Pique Gloves
—in the new tan and red Fowles' make. Special at..... **\$2.00**

Golf Gloves
—for men, women and children—in all colors. Prices..... **25c., 39c. & 50c.**

The New HOSIERY.

Women's Black Heavy-weight Hose, with high-spliced heel, double toe—at..... **19c.**

Women's Black Hose—lace front and boot pattern—in all the latest designs; high-spliced heel and double toe; Hermsdorf dye. To go at..... **50c.**

Women's Lisle and Cotton Hose, in fancy stripes and embroidered ankle; high-spliced heel and double toe; warranted fast color. To go at 35c. Three for..... **\$1.00**

Women's All-silk Hose—dropped stitch, with opera shoe tops; high-spliced heel and double toe. Our regular price, \$1.75. To go at..... **98c.**

Ribbons.

No. 12 and 16 All-silk Ribbon, in all colors. Regular price, 18c. yd.—for, yd..... **10c.**

1 Lot No. 40 All-silk Satin Taffeta Ribbon, in all colors, including black and white; the 25c. quality—for, yd..... **15c.**

4-inch double-face Satin Ribbon, in all shades, including white and black. Regular 49c. quality—for, yd..... **25c.**

4-inch All-silk Taffeta Ribbon, in all shades—white, red, light blue, green, navy, turquoise and pink—for, yd..... **17c.**

1 Lot No. 14 White Satin Ribbon, with fancy edge. Regular 25c. quality—for, pc..... **15c.**

For My Lady's Toilet.

Rogers & Gallet's Extract, Violet and Heliotrope, 2 oz..... **62c.**

Regular price, 70c. oz.

Hudnut's Saphet Powder, Violet and Heliotrope, pkg..... **22c.**

Regular price, 24c. pkg.

A Wonderful Showing in Laces.

18c. Black Silk Chantilly Laces, from 2½ in. to 4 in. in width. Special, yd..... **12½c.**

Point Venise Applique, in white cream and Arabian, in new and pretty designs. Regular price, 30c. yd..... **22c.**

Now, yd..... **22c.**

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ed. I can give information about men and measures, which would tend to promote such friendly relations between the races. Such information it is my duty to give when it is asked for.

"At every proper opportunity I say to the youth of our people that they will make a mistake if they seek to succeed in life by mere political activity or the hope of holding political office. Now and then, however, public questions affecting our interests arise which are so fundamental and far-reaching that they transcend the domain of politics. When such questions present themselves, in justice to my race, I make my position known and stand for what I see to be right.

"We cannot elevate and make useful a race of people unless there is held out to them the hope of reward for right living. Every revised constitution throughout the Southern States has put a premium upon intelligence, ownership of property, thrift and character.

"As an educator, and not as a politician, I strive in every honorable and rational way to encourage the wise and enduring progress of my people; for if all aspiration and hope of reward is to be denied them they will be deprived of one of the greatest incentives to intelligence, industry and righteousness. On the other hand, if they are encouraged in sensible and conservative directions they will grow year by year into contentedness and added usefulness."

The trustees of the San Diego Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, who have been investigating the Raula Yogan school at Point Loma, Cal., has submitted a report declaring that the institution is well conducted.

INTERESTING FACTS

FOR NEARLY EVERY MAN, WOMAN OR CHILD.

A short time ago we published an article recommending to our readers the new discovery for the cure of Dyspepsia, called Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and the claims then made regarding the wonderful curative properties of the remedy have been abundantly sustained by the facts. People who were cautious about trying new remedies advertised in the newspapers and were finally induced to give Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets a trial were surprised and delighted at the results. In many cases a single package costing but 50 cents at any drug store made a complete cure and in every instance the most beneficial results were reported. From a hundred or more receipted signatures space to publish only a few of the latest, but assure our readers we receive so many commendatory letters that we shall publish each week a fresh list of genuine, unsolicited testimonials and never publish the same one twice.

From James Yennemiller, La Crosse, Wis.: Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are doing me more good than anything I ever tried. I was so pleased at results that I had ordered several boxes to my friends, who have also had the same benefits.

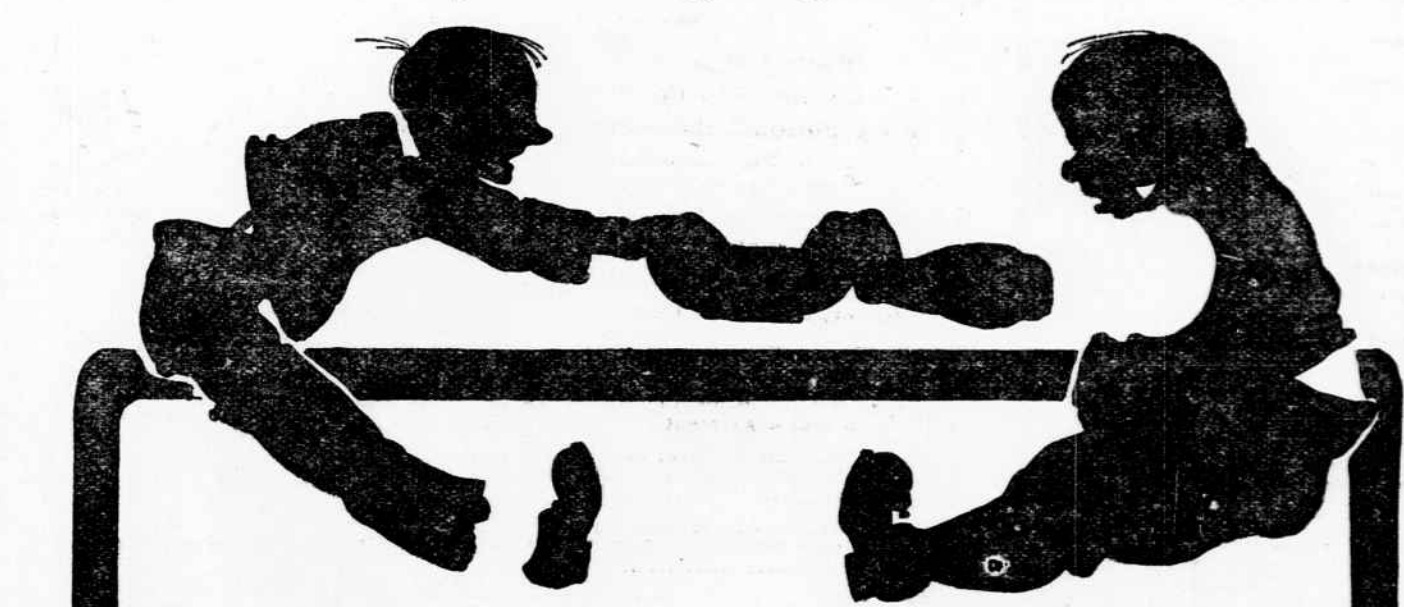
From Jacob Anthony, Portmurray, New Jersey: I have taken Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets for 6 years, and had taken a great deal of medicine, but the Tablets seem to take right a hold, and I feel good. I am a farmer and lime burner, and I heartily recommend to every one who has any trouble with his stomach to use these Tablets.

From Mrs. M. K. West, Preston, Minn.: I have received surprisingly good effects from using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I am one-half of my last box to a friend who also suffered from indigestion, and she had the same good results.

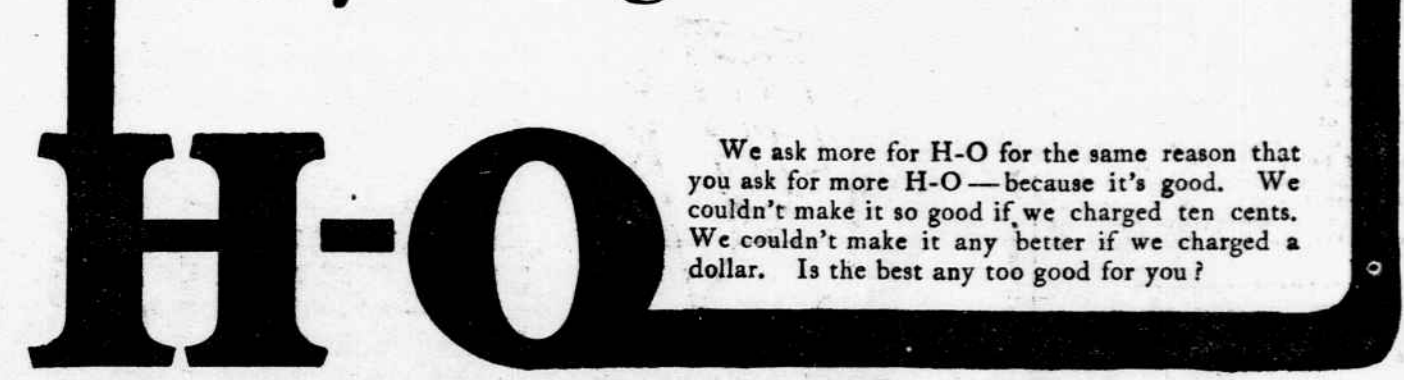
From Mrs. Agnes K. Balston, Cadillac, Mich.: I have been taking Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and I am very much better, and feel very grateful for the great benefit I have received in so short a time.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are a certain cure for all forms of indigestion. They are not claimed to be a cure-all, but are prepared for stomach troubles only, and physicians and druggists everywhere recommend them to all persons suffering from Nervous Dyspepsia, sour or acid stomach, heartburn, bloating or wind on the stomach and similar disorders.

"Who can keep me from getting more?"—Oliver Twist.



Pay less and you
buy more work for
your digestion.



We ask more for H-O for the same reason that you ask for more H-O—because it's good. We couldn't make it so good if we charged ten cents. We couldn't make it any better if we charged a dollar. Is the best any too good for you?

WAR NURSES TO MEET.

Those Who Served in Spanish-American War to Assemble Here.

The Society of Spanish-American War Nurses will meet in Washington Monday next. The society is composed of those who had charge of Uncle Sam's sick and wounded soldier boys in Cuba, Porto Rico, the Philippines and China during the wars of 1898. An elaborate program has been arranged for the entertainment of the young women who are to hold their first reunion here. Each of the nurses at the reunion has seen actual service with the army of Uncle Sam. Among those who are expected to attend will be four full-blooded Indian maidens, who nursed their white brothers, assigned to the 7th Army Corps at Jacksonville, Fla., under command of Maj. Gen. Fitzhugh Lee. Gen. Lee afterward took a part of the corps to Cuba and with it the Indian maidens.

The nurses will attend the opening session of Congress Monday. A special place has been reserved in the gallery for them. Before the opening of the session Chairman

Hull of the committee on military affairs of the House of Representatives will tender them a reception. During the week they will call at the State, War and Navy building to pay their respects to Surgeons General Rixey and O'Reilly.

The President and Secretary of War will receive the nurses at a date yet to be appointed. Tuesday and Wednesday will be devoted to business meetings for the discussion of professional subjects and social meetings will be held each evening.

Monday night the nurses will attend a reception at the residence of Dr. W. J. McGee as the guest of Dr. Anita Newcomb McGehee, who had charge of the corps of army nurses during the Spanish-American war. Dr. Anita McGee was the only woman in the United States to receive a commission in the regular army.

While the nurses are in session they propose to take some action looking to the adoption by Congress of a law allowing the Secretary of the Navy to organize a corps of fifty women nurses to be distributed among naval hospitals as an experiment. Secretary McGee is understood to be heartily in favor of the proposition, and will, it is said, give it his personal support. There are now about one hundred trained nurses

in the army with pay at \$100 per month. It is expected that the navy will start out with fifty at the same pay.

The army nurses propose to see that the bill to be passed by Congress providing for women nurses for the navy will make it possible for only persons skilled in the work to get in. They expect to make a provision that all the nurses chosen must have graduated from some hospital or nurses' school in good standing, so that they will be able to diagnose the ordinary cases and be able to prescribe in cases of emergency.

The army nurses have a distinctive uniform, and one of a similar kind, spurs, white, will be provided for the naval nurses.

The company of instruction of the hospital corps, stationed at the Washington barracks, will give an exhibition drill, including the erection of a regimental hospital, fully equipped, during the week, for the entertainment of the visiting nurses.

Suburban Chat.

From the Detroit Free Press.
Joe—"Any horseless carriages out you way?"
Jim—"Horseless? I guess so; but we call them mule teams."